

Policing Doctrine

Defining concept – Policing by consent

The role of police is to protect and assist the citizenry of Pannonia. This in part is achieved by employing the unarmed security force, available to the state through the allowances of the constitution, to monitor locations whereas the police are a direct bridge between people and the state.

The police, due to the scale and nature of the state, are required to interact with citizens as part of their duty and as such must maintain a conduct and dress that does not intimidate those they intend to help. As such the police will conform to a system of assistance rather than intimidation, to evoke the idea of 'safety' rather than 'security'.

The regulation of firearms, the unique uniform and code of conduct aims to reduce the stigma that police in the western world has accrued in the preceding decades. Likewise, the choice to name the policing force of Pannonia as 'Wardens' helps to add additional layers of separation.

Codified system of policing and uniform:

Patrol officers (A/B Pairing):

Type A – The 'Assist' officer of a patrolling pair. Unarmoured, lacks firearm or less-lethal sidearm.

Assigned to directly interact with the community.

Type B – The 'Desist' officer of a patrolling pair. Unarmoured, standard equipment package.

Assigned to curtail activities and control situations.

Mobile officers (C/C) Pairing:

Type C – The 'Response' officer. Armoured with standard equipment package plus rifles.

Responds to assist officers or tasked to directly interact with crime.

Stationed officers:

Type D – The 'Watch' officer. Unarmoured, lacks sidearm.

Occupies the police boxes located around the city. May organise Type C responses.

Type E – The 'Security' officer. Armoured with standard equipment package plus rifles

Occupied the customs and boarder offices stationed at the entrances to the state.

Type F – Administrative officers. Unarmoured with standard equipment package

Works within police structures.

Skills and competency requirements:

Physical

- Physically fit – As dictated by various health checks
- Between 165 – 200 cm tall.
- Between 65 – 120kg
- Lower than 22% body fat

Educational

- Collage-level literacy and numeracy
- Coursework on sensitivity training

- Emergency response training (Fire/disaster)
- First aid training
- Trained in a given martial art – Standardised and trained by the state

Character:

- Arbitrator
- Values life
- Shows personal character
- Unwavering loyalty to the state, unfaltering duty to the project.

Koban (Police boxes)

Small outposts present in the city to provide assistance to passersby. This also allows for temporary detainment of peoples, room for police officers to rest during a patrol and contains non-combat equipment (First aid, radios, etc.). Also increases the 'awareness' of the citizens about the city's police presence as well as provides space for public notices and safety campaigns.